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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : Richard Lorenz  
U.S. Serial No. : 10/714,544  
Filed : November 14, 2003  
For : SYSTEM, METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT  
FOR FILTERING ELECTRONIC MAIL  
Group No. : 2142  
Examiner : Oleg Survillo

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This communication responds to a Final Office Action mailed July 1, 2008, which has a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on October 1, 2008. As this Reply is being filed within two months of the mailing date of the Final Office Action, the Applicants request an Advisory Action.